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E.O. 11652: ADS: CONTROL 1 JULY 1976

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SUBJECT: COUNTERVAILING DUTIES--FLOAT GLASS, HAM

REF: A) STATE 154215 (NOTAL)

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1. ON JULY 2 WE INFORMED LOERKE, THE EC COMMISSION'S US DESK OFFICER, THAT TREASURY WAS ISSUING A PRESS RELEASE ANNOUNCING PRELIMINARY FINDINGS OF BOUNTIES OR GRANTS ON FLOAT GLASS FROM BELGIUM AND ITALY, AND THAT THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION WOULD BE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ON OR ABOUT JULY 3.

2. LOERKE RECEIVED THE NEWS CALMLY, SAYING HE HAD ANTICIPATED THIS OUTCOME. HE WAS MORE INTERESTED IN THE QUESTIONS TREASURY IS PROVIDING THE GERMAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON, AND WILL BE FORWARDING TO THE BELGIAN AND ITALIAN GOVERNMENTS. HE SAID HE WOULD LIKE A COPY TO SEE WHAT INFORMATION WAS BEING ASKED, TO PREPARE HIMSELF FOR A MEETING OF

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THE ARTICLE 113 DEPUTIES NEXT WEEK AT WHICH THE

COUNTERVAILING CASES WILL BE DISCUSSED. WE SAID WE  
WOULD PASS ON HIS REQUEST TO WASHINGTON.

3. WHILE THE FLOAT GLASS CASES HAVE SO FAR NOT  
EVOKED EMOTION, A UPI STORY DATELINED BRUSSELS, JULY 1,  
REPORTS THAT "COMMON MARKET SOURCES REPORTED RISING  
ANGER HERE OVER THE ANNOUNCEMENT LAST FRIDAY BY THE  
US TREASURY DEPARTMENT THAT IT MAY IMPOSE 'COUNTER-  
VAILING DUTIES' ON THESE HAM EXPORTS...THE COMMON  
MARKET SOURCES SAID THEY WERE PARTICULARLY WORRIED  
BECAUSE THE NEW US BROADSIDE ON HAM MIGHT NOT BE  
THE LAST. ALMOST ALL COMMON MARKET FARM EXPORTS ARE  
SUBSIDIZED...THE SAME REASONING THAT WASHINGTON APPLIED  
TO HAM AND CHEESE CAN BE USED TO IMPOSE COUNTERVAILING  
DUTIES ON OTHER EXPORTS."GREENWALD

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